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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This paper is responsive to the Office action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 18, 2007, in the above-identified patent application. Applicants submitted an Amendment After Final on September 18, 2007. An Advisory Action issued on September 27, 2007, indicating that the Amendment After Final would not be entered. Therefore, Applicants submit this Amendment and Response along with a Request for Continued Examination.

Applicants believe that the correct fee is submitted herewith; however, if any additional fee is due with this submission, the Director is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 07-1700.

Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment and Response, reconsideration and withdrawal of all grounds of rejection, and passage of the claims to allowance.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.